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SUBJECT: BUILDING CONSTRUCTION AND METHOD USING  
TENSION SUPPORT MEMBERS MIT-117J

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a patent application including formal papers as follows:

Applicant: Wooh et al.

Title: BUILDING CONSTRUCTION AND METHOD USING  
TENSION SUPPORT MEMBERS

No. Pages Specification: 10; Claims: 3; Abstract: 1; Drawings: 6; Declaration and  
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### Filing Fee Calculation

Basic Fee: \$ 355.00

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Total number of claims in excess  
of 20: 0 x \$9.00 \$ .00

Number of independent claims in  
excess of 3: 0 x \$40.00 \$ .00

TOTAL FILING FEE: \$ 355.00

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Applicant hereby claims priority under 35 USC 119, 120, 363, 365, and 37 CFR 1.55, based on U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/281,510, filed on April 4, 2001.

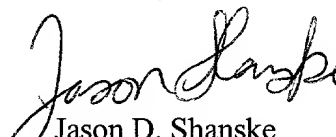
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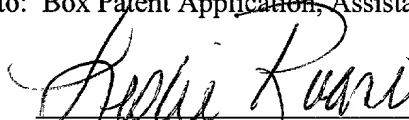
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